

If, in the opinion of the Examiner, a telephone conference would advance the prosecution of the Application, the Examiner is invited to telephone the undersigned attorney.

REQUEST FOR EXTENSION OF TIME TO REPLY OF THREE MONTHS

Applicants hereby request an extension of time to file of THREE MONTHS. The fee therefor as required by 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(a)(3) is submitted herewith.

AUTHORIZATION TO DEBIT DEPOSIT ACCOUNT

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to debit Deposit Account 11-0600 in the amount of \$ 920.00 for the fee required by 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(a)(3) in connection with the Request for Extension of Time presented herewith. Applicants respectfully submit that no additional fee is due with this paper. If an additional fee is in fact due, the Commissioner is hereby authorized to debit Deposit Account 11-0600 for the amount of the additional fee.

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